

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION III

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<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ecology Services, Inc. 10220 Old Columbia Road Columbia, MD 21046

Re: Required Submission of Information

Safety Light Corporation Site Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Sir or Madam:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") is seeking information concerning a release, or the threat of release, of hazardous substances, pollutants or contaminants into the environment at the Safety Light Corporation Site, which is an active manufacturing facility occupying approximately 2 acres of a 10-acre property adjacent to the Susquehanna River off Old Berwick Road, Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania (hereafter known as the "Site" or "Facility"). This information request addresses all periods of ownership and operation of any of Safety Light's predecessor or affiliated companies including, but not limited to, U.S. Radium, Lime Ridge Industries, USR Industries, USR Metals, Metreal and Isolite. Safety Light Corporation presently uses tritium in the manufacture of self-illuminated signs. Past disposal practices of various radioactive isotopes at the Site resulted in radiological contamination of on-site soils and groundwater.

Pursuant to the authority of Section 104(e) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. Section 9604(e), EPA has the authority to require Ecology Services, Inc. (the terms "you," and "Respondent" mean Ecology Services, Inc. ["ESI"]) to furnish all information and documents in your possession, custody or control, or in the possession, custody or control of any of your employees or agents, which concern, refer, or relate to hazardous substances as defined by Section 101(14) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. Section 9601(14), and pollutants and/or contaminants as defined by Section 101(33), 42 U.S.C. Section 9601(33), which were transported to, stored, treated, or disposed of at the above-referenced Facility.

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